

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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ANTI-COLLISION TECHNOLOGY
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the VVIP aircraft of Air Force are proposed to be equipped with anti-collision technology;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the funds allocated for the purpose;
- (d) whether this technology is to be installed in other aircraft of the Air Force in future; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE(SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

- (a) & (b): The VVIP jet aircraft of the Air Headquarters Communication Squadron are already equipped with anti collision technology which is known as "Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System (TCAS)".
- (c) Does not arise in view of (a)&(b) above.
- (d) & (e): This technology is already installed in many aircraft of the IAF like the IL-76 and Dornier-228 and is planned to be installed in some future inductions also.